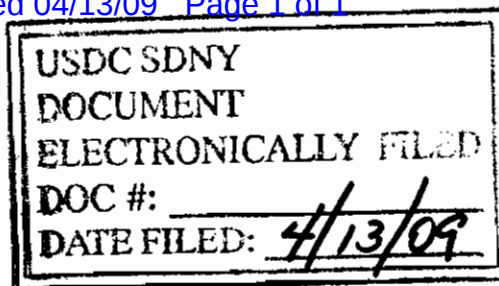


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK



JOAN C. LIPIN,

Plaintiff,

- against -

DANA A. SAWYER, ET AL.,

Defendants.


1:09-cv-02422-RJH

**ORDER**

The Court is in receipt of defendants' letter of April 7, 2009, requesting that plaintiff's recent filings be stricken. In the interest of judicial economy, proceedings in this action will be stayed until the Court rules on whether plaintiff acted in contempt of Court by filing this action. Thus, defendants need not respond to plaintiff's recent motion until the Court has ruled on whether plaintiff should be held in contempt. Similarly, plaintiff need not respond to any substantive filings made by defendants until the contempt question has been resolved. Of course, this Order does not absolve plaintiff of the obligation to make the written submission called for in the Court's March 26, 2009, Order. That submission should be filed on or before April 26, 2009.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: New York, New York  
April 13, 2009

  
Richard J. Holwell  
United States District Judge